

# LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

## Actions of the City Council for March 22, 2004

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The following legislation was considered and acted upon by the City Council of the City of Falls Church. Copies of legislation are available from the City Clerk, Kathleen Buschow, 703-248-5014.

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**(T04-6)** *Ordinance to Amend Chapter 33 of the Code of the City of Falls Church, Virginia, Section 33-3, "Tax Levied on Tangible Personal Property, Machinery and Tools; Proration; Filing and Payment Dates; Extensions of Time to File" to Change the Process of Filing Personal Property Tax Returns*

**PASSED on roll call vote, unanimously 5-0. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.) (Ord. 1753)**

**(T04-7)** *Ordinance to Amend Chapter 18, "Licenses, " Section 18-22, "Financial or Real Estate Services" to Change the Tax Rate*

**PASSED on roll call vote, unanimously 5-0. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.) (Ord. 1754)**

**(T04-8)** *Ordinance to Change Polling Place in Ward II Within the City of Falls Church as of June 1, 2004*

**PASSED on roll call vote, unanimously 5-0. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.) (Ord. 1755)**

**(TR04-15)** *Resolution Requesting that the City Council of the City of Falls Church, Virginia Endorse a Transportation Enhancement Program Application that Requests the Commonwealth Transportation Board to Establish a Streetscape Project for the Improvement of a Portion of West Broad Street.*

**PASSED on roll call vote, unanimously 5-0. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.) (Res. 2004-15)**

**(T04-10)** *Ordinance Setting The Rate Of Tax Levy On Real Estate, Personal Property And Machinery And Tools, And All Other Property Segregated By Law For Local Taxation In The City Of Falls Church, Virginia, For The Tax Year 2004. (Shirley Hughes, CFO, GM Administrative Services) [Advertised in News-Press 3-18-04]*

**PASSED on first reading, on roll call vote 4-1, with Mr. Mabry voting NAY; with rolling public hearings scheduled for April 12 and April 26 and second reading on April 26, 2004. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.)**

**(T04-9)** *An Ordinance Fixing And Determining The Budget Of Expenditures And Revenues, Appropriating Funds For The Fiscal Year 2004-2005: General Fund; School*

*Operating Fund; School Community Service Fund; And School Food Service Fund; Water Revenue Fund And Sewer Revenue Fund And Approval Of The Capital Improvement Plan. (Shirley Hughes, CFO, GM Administrative Services) [Advertised in News-Press 3-18-04]*

**PASSED on first reading, on roll call vote 4-1, with Mr. Mabry voting NAY; with rolling public hearings scheduled for April 12 and April 26 and second reading on April 26, 2004. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.)**

*(T04-11) Ordinance To Amend Chapter 33, Taxation, Of The Code Of The City Of Falls Church, Virginia, Section 33-48, "How Assessed" To Increase The Number Of Members Of The Board Of Equalization. (Council Member Robin Gardner)*

**PASSED on first reading, on roll call vote, unanimously 5-0, with second reading and public hearing scheduled for April 26, 2004. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.)**

### **Consent Item**

None.

### **Appointments**

<b>New Appointments</b>		
<b>Name</b>	<b>Board/Commission</b>	<b>Term</b>
Brian LeBlanc	Board of Equalization	(02/01/03) - 01/31/06
Joseph Trombo	Board of Equalization	(02/01/04) - 01/31/07
Kent Taylor	Historical Commission	(09/01/02) - 08-31/05
<b>Reappointments</b>		
<b>Name</b>	<b>Board/Commission</b>	<b>Term</b>
Dave Eckert	Tree Commission	4/01/04-3/31/07

**PASSED on roll call vote unanimously 5-0. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.)**

### **Approval of Minutes**

Council was requested to approve the minutes of the March 8, 2004 Council Meeting.

**PASSED unanimously on voice vote with minor editorial changes. (Mr. Snyder and Ms. Gardner were absent.)**

### **Closed Session**

None.

## **Adjournment**

Upon proper motion and unanimous voice vote, the meeting was ADJOURNED at 10:10 p.m.

## **Check List**

<b>Group e-mails</b>	<b>w/ legislation</b>	<b>Done</b>
City <u>w/</u> legislation <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Agendas-Notices-Legislative Update (e-mail group)</li><li>• (send as BCC)</li></ul>	<b>Ord. 1753*</b> <b>Ord. 1754*</b> <b>Ord. 1755</b> <b>Res. 2004-15</b>	
<b>Follow-Up</b>		
Update Code Book	Ord. 1753 Ord. 1754	